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Honorable Brian M. Cogan  
United States District Judge  
Eastern District of New York  
225 Cadman Plaza East  
Brooklyn, New York 11201

RE: *United States v. Garcia-Ruiz*  
**14 CR 48 (BMC)**

Dear Judge Cogan:

I represent Mr. Garcia-Ruiz who is scheduled to appear for a status conference on January 17, 2018. It is respectfully requested that the matter be adjourned to February 15, 2018 as the parties continue to negotiate a resolution of the matter.

I have discussed the proposed adjournment with the government and they have no objection. I have discussed the matter with my client and he consents to the waiver of speedy trial.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

Sally Butler

cc: Marcia Henry, AUSA  
Margaret Lee, AUSA